



Judge J. W. DeVore is holding court in Florence this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ready spent Saturday and Sunday in Edgefield and vicinity with relatives.

The prizes that will be awarded the members of the boys corn club will be announced next week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Timmerman have moved into their attractive new cottage in south Edgefield.

Boys' and yotuh's wash pants at 25c and 50c at Rives Bros.—Adv.

Mr. Richard A. McCreary came up from Augusta and spent Sunday with his mother. He is always very cordially greeted in Edgefield.

Mrs. Charles A. Hall, of Aiken, has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Timmerman.

Misses Rebekah and Ruth Morgan are visiting at the home of their uncle, Hon. J. Wm. Thurmond, having closed their schools for this session.

It gives us pleasure to present the cut of the Prescott school on this page. The decorated wagon was drawn by Dr. W. E. Prescott's pair of bay horses.

Mr. A. F. Mixon has returned from his home in Tennille, Ga., to resume his duties as superintendent of the oil mill. It is probable that he will move his family here in the near future.

If you wish style and quality combined in spring oxfords made by standard manufacturers in velvet, suede, satin, vici and gun metal, Rives Bros. is the place to find them in the greatest variety in the county.—Adv.

The U. D. C. will have their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Glover Tompkins Tuesday afternoon May 2nd at half after four o'clock. All members are urged to be present to arrange for Memorial Day.

The Farmers Bank will move into its temporary quarters Monday, the store formerly occupied by T. P. Lyon & Co., and will turn the bank building over to the contractors to be remodeled. All work on the building is to be completed by the 1st of August.

The neatest, daintest, prettiest and best kept market in the Carolinas, with Georgia thrown in, is that of Mr. H. H. Sanders. Even the appearance of his store and new market is appetizing, to say nothing of the nice things that are dispensed over the counters.

Mr. C. M. Williams says one insertion of his little advertisement in our columns sold his cotton seed before breakfast. The Advertiser reaches the people—practically all of the people—of the county. That is why it brings such satisfactory results to advertisers.

Mr. J. P. Sullivan recently gave his wife a handsome piano for a birthday present. The splendid instrument was purchased from Holland Bros. of Greenwood. We commend Mr. Sullivan's example most heartily. Would that every home in the county could have a musical instrument of some kind in it.

If ladies will consult their pocket-books when they want style and quality in hats trimmed by a competent Baltimore milliner. We promise you we can give you better styles and quality for the same money that can be bought in larger cities, as we are satisfied with less profits. Rives Bros.

The missionary institute of the western division of South Carolina which was held at the Baptist church Monday night and Tuesday was largely attended and the interest throughout all of the sessions was all that could be desired. A full report will be published in The Advertiser next week.

Mrs. Hortense Carver Marshall of Boston is the guest of Mrs. Ella Tompkins and Mr. A. S. Tompkins, being a first cousin of Mr. Tompkins. Mrs. Marshall is a vocalist of considerable renown, having spent four years studying under some of the leading vocalists in Germany. She was accompanied by her three little children.

Messrs. Vann & Leppard, Trenton's progressive merchants, announce their last call to bargain this week. Only a few more days remain in which the prices will be cut so low on staple merchandise. Better hurry and supply your needs before the opportunity passes. Do not fail to heed the last call.

Mr. W. H. Turner has had such a large spring business up to this time that he has found it necessary to go north again to replenish his stock. When his second purchases begin to arrive the Corner Store will blossom with the newest and prettiest things of the season. Watch our columns for his announcement.

The annual Children's Day exercises will be held at the Methodist church Sunday morning next at the hour for preaching. The public is cordially invited.

On our front page we present a cut of the Colliers school. The photograph was taken the afternoon of the educational rally at Edgefield. The attractively decorated wagon was drawn by four large well-kept mules that belonged to Henry McKie, who can always be found in the front rank doing his full share when anything of a public spirited nature is undertaken.

Rev. R. E. L. Harris, pastor of the Woodlawn Baptist church of Augusta, filled the pulpit of the Edgefield Baptist church Sunday morning and evening. At the morning service he preached the annual sermon before the Woman's Mission society of the church. Rev. Mr. Harris is a very earnest, vigorous speaker, both of his discourses on Sunday being well received by the very large congregations.

Card of Thanks.

Through your columns I desire to express my sincere appreciation for the kindly assistance given me by my friends in The Advertiser's subscription contest. I shall always be grateful for the help that they gave, which enabled me to win one of the prizes.

Weinona Mathis.

Colliers. S. C.

Earliest of The Early.

The Irish Cobbler makes good in every particular, but this is especially true of its early bearing qualities. Mr. J. D. Holstein showed us an Irish potato of the Cobbler variety that was taken from his garden last Saturday, April 22nd, which beyond doubt is the finest potato of the season in this section. The potato in question was about the size of a Plymouth Rock. Many others equally as large can be found in Mr. Holstein's garden. The Cobbler is an all-round good potato from every standpoint.

Ropers Exchange Growing.

Mr. J. B. Timmerman takes great pride in keeping his telephone system—the Roper's exchange—in first class condition. The latest phone to be installed was that of Mr. Henry Hammond. It is probable that the Falfa community, which is one of the best in the county, will be "tapped" by a wire at an early day. The good people of that section should thus get in touch with the outside world, reflecting the progressive spirit of the community.

Card of Thanks.

Please allow me to thank my friends for their assistance and co-operation in the recent contest conducted by The Advertiser. Words are inadequate to express my gratitude for the interest they took in the contest in my behalf.

Addie Stephens.

Judge S. M. Smith.

The county commissioners having approved his bond, Judge S. M. Smith formally took charge of the Master's office Monday. The grand jury checked over all of the records and turned them over to Judge Smith. As prescribed by the statute, the bond is for \$5,000, and was signed by G. M. and B. R. Smith, father and uncle, respectively, of Judge Smith. We understand that the master's office will be moved to the office heretofore occupied by Mr. Smith and that he will continue the practice of law on the criminal side of the court. While holding the office the law debar Judge Smith from practicing in the civil court.

S. C. C. I. Commencement.

The commencement of 1910-11 will begin on Thursday evening May 19th, and close with the graduating exercises the following Monday morning. Dr. P. J. McLaw of Aiken will deliver the literary address. The minister who is to preach the baccalaureate sermon will be announced later. The following compose the list of graduates: The following are the candidates for graduation in the literary department of the S. C. C. I.: Mr. W. H. Johnson, Aiken, S. C.; Mr. W. B. Courtney, Swansea, S. C.; Mr. M. C. White, McCormick, S. C.; Mr. G. E. Walker, Modoc, S. C.; Miss Ruth Varn, Rufin, S. C.; Miss Gertrude Seal, Greenwood, S. C.; Miss Hattie Brunson, Cleora, S. C.; Miss Hortense Peak, Edgefield, S. C.; Miss Sadie Mims, Edgefield, S. C.; Miss Emily Strother, Edgefield, S. C.; Miss Marion Blalock, Edgefield, S. C.

Piano: Miss Madge Turner, Edgefield, S. C.

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Prescott School as it Appeared in Decorated Wagon on Day of Educational Rally.

Death of Mr. Kendrick.

Mr. Henry Kendrick died at his home in the Sweetwater section Monday afternoon at six. The burial will take place this morning at 11 o'clock. He was 32 years of age and leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. Kendrick was a member of the W. O. W. and will be buried by his brethren of that order.

Bettis Academy Closed.

The annual closing exercises of Bettis Academy, one of the largest schools in this part of the state, were held Friday last. Addresses were delivered by Mr. James L. Quinby, of Graniteville, and by Col. F. N. K. Bailey. A. W. Nicholson, who has been the principal of the school for a number of years, conducting it along proper lines all the while, stated to The Advertiser's representative Monday that the session just closed has been very satisfactory from every standpoint.

Death of Mr. Ouzts.

Mr. Peter Ouzts died at his home in Edgefield Thursday morning last after lingering some time with Bright's disease. He was in his 80th year. Mr. Ouzts, as did a number of other sons of the Meeting Street section, made a splendid record in the Civil war. In compliance with his request, the Cross of Honor that was given him by the Daughters of the Confederacy was buried with him, being pinned to his coat. A short time before he died Mr. Ouzts united with the Methodist church, stating that he was prepared for the end.

The funeral was held at McKendree church Friday morning, being conducted by Rev. L. D. Gillespie. Mr. Ouzts is survived by his wife, four daughters and five sons.

Buggy and Wagon Annex.

The new building which Mr. Bettis Cantelou has just completed alongside his stable to the rear of the court house is being filled with buggies and carriages by Messrs. Wilson & Cantelou. In addition to the large stock that they have had stored in the county fair building for some time, all of which has been moved into the new building, they placed larger orders for wagons and buggies. One shipment has already arrived and another is now in transit. With the large assortment of surreys and buggies of all styles that Messrs. Wilson & Cantelou are offering the public should find no difficulty in supplying their needs. The building is equipped with a modern harness room in which a very large stock of harness of all grades will be carried.

Messrs. Wilson & Cantelou also carry a large assortment of farm wagons that are guaranteed in every particular.

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Edgefield People Should Not Wait Until it is Too Late.

The appalling death rate from kidney disease is due in most cases to the fact that the little kidney troubles are usually neglected, until they become serious. The slight symptoms give place to chronic disorders and the sufferer goes gradually into the grasp of diabetes, dropsy, Bright's disease, gravel or some other serious form of kidney complaint.

If you are sufferer from backache, headaches, dizzy spells; if the kidney secretions are irregular of passage and unnatural in appearance, do not delay. Help the kidneys at once.

Doan's kidney pills are especially for kidney disorders, they cure where others fail. Over one hundred thousand people have recommended them. Here is one of the many cases in this vicinity. H. B. Sommer, Main street, Aiken, S. C., says: "I have been using Doan's kidney pills during the past few months and they freed me from a pain in my back and a dull, languid feeling that had clung to me for a long time. I took this remedy after other had failed and the results have been so satisfactory that I heartily recommend it."

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Honor Roll.

First grade: class B. William Folk, Lillian Pattison. Class A. Norma Shannonhouse, Ethel Cheatnam, Rosa Zimmerman, Addie Mae Turner, Kate Mims, Eloise Hart.

2nd grade: Edith Ouzts, Ray Timmerman, Sara Lyon, Mary DeLoach, Elizabeth.

3rd James Sharpton, Edwin Folk, Gertie Rearden, Oscar Cheatham, Laura Morgan, Grace Tompkins, Gladys Lyon, Mack Quarles, Johnnie Lamb, Huff Hart, Joe Weir.

Fourth grade: Leila Roper, Margaret May, Lydia Brunson, Malla lien Bailey, Emmie Lou Edmunds, Genevieve Norrie.

5th grade: Catherine Darlington, Ouida Patton, Neva Weir, Carroll Rainsford, Annie O'Hara, Douglas Timmerman.

6th grade: Blondelle Hart, Ida Folk, Alma DeLoach.

8th grade: Lizzie Roper, Gladys Padgett, Claud Lyon.

Interesting Rehoboth News.

It has been quite a while since my last communication and I feel that I am unworthy of space as a correspondent but hope to make amends for past neglect.

Our farmers are all very busy planting. This is the week that the bulk of cotton is planted in this community. The beautiful weather this spring has given time to thoroughly prepare soil, and liberal amount of fertilizer is being used for cotton and corn. We hope with fair season an abundant harvest.

Large grain crops were sown last fall throughout this section and the prospect for a fair yield is encouraging.

Sunday school at Rehoboth was well attended last Sunday morning. Among those present we were glad to see Miss Nellie Hill, the principal of the Cleora school; Miss Alma Williams and Herbert Williams, of Cleora.

The ladies missionary society met at the church in the afternoon and held a public meeting which was very interesting. Prof. Maxcie White and Miss Mae Roper from Plum Branch were present. Mr. White made an excellent talk on missions, his subject being South America. The ladies have a splendid union and are doing a great work for missions.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wash's little son William who has been so critically ill for the past two weeks with pneumonia, is convalescent.

Mrs. Mary Padgett who has been very unwell for several months is still confined to her room.

Misses Julia and May Bell Strom are spending this week with relatives and friends at Greenwood.

Mrs. J. D. Hughey is visiting the home folks at North Augusta.

Mr. E. B. Williams of Gilgal was a welcomed visitor in the community last Sunday. Subscriber.

Rev. H. Waddell Pratt.

The above named minister is to assist in the meeting at the Presbyterian church next week. He is now pastor of the Presbyterian church at Abbeville. His youth was spent in Lawsville, Ky., where his father was pastor for many years in the church where the general assembly meets this year. He was prepared to preach at Union Seminary, Richmond, Va., under such men as Drs. Moore and Stickler.

Mr. Pratt is an unusually bright and scholarly man, and we trust all our people will enjoy the spiritual treat in store for them.

The meeting begins Wednesday, May 3rd, at 8 o'clock.

Eggs for Hatching: I can fill orders for Silver Laced Wyandotte eggs for hatching—15 for \$1.50. My chickens are the purest breed. W. D. Ouzts, Edgefield, S. C., R. F. D. No. 3.

New Photograph Gallery

I am now prepared to take photographs of all kinds, and respectfully solicit the patronage of the people. Special attention given to groups and outdoor work. My prices are very reasonable.

Gallery open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday from 11 till 5 o'clock.

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NORRIS BUILDING

Rev. L. B. White Has Resigned.

Special to The Advertiser:

Plum Branch, S. C., April 25: At a conference of the Plum Branch Baptist church yesterday Rev. Luther B. White resigned as pastor of the church, feeling led of the spirit of God to another field of work. Pastor White has during his entire pastorate had the good will, sympathy and affection of the entire church. They are very sorry to give him up but as it is the Divine will they willingly do it. Bro. White's resignation will take effect the first of June.

During Bro. White's pastorate here the church has grown a great deal both in members and in giving. A nice parsonage with ample lot provided. Another phase of work that Bro. White has had a large share in promoting is the erection of a splendid school building and the establishment of a two year high school.

His influence for the prevalence of right and honesty and integrity has been a great asset to this whole community during his entire ministry here.

At present this church holds service every Sunday but by vote of the church last Sunday they will hold preaching service only twice a month beginning with June.

Union Meeting.

The union meeting of the 2nd division of the Edgefield association will meet with Mt. Zion church on Saturday, April 29th 1911 continuing two days.

Saturday morning 11:30 o'clock devotional exercises by G. W. Medlock.

11 a. m. Roll call with verbal reports from churches.

11:15 1st Query—Our weak churches, how are they to be strengthened? J. T. Littlejohn, D. E. Lanham, J. D. Hughey.

2nd Query—The necessity of the entire working force of the church, and how are we to get them to pull together. J. O. Atkinson, J. C. Whitlock, G. W. Medlock.

3rd Query—What are the duties of the deacons and are they doing

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their duty? P. B. Lanham, George Wright, S. B. Mays.

4th Query—Faithfulness to the pastor. J. D. Timmerman, T. C. Mathis, Thos. Adams.

5th Query—The need of thoroughly preparing our Sunday school lessons and the best help, and method of studying to be used by teachers and pupils. J. H. Courtney, J. N. Crafton, ton, J. D. Hughey.

Missionary sermon by Rev. J. T. Littlejohn.

Sunday p. m. address by C. A. Mays, subject, Christian Citizen-

ship.

2nd, An appeal for larger attendance of the Saturday meeting of our unions by Rev. J. T. Littlejohn. C. M. Mellichamp, For Committee.

Pasture to Rent.

I have a pasture of 500 acres under wire on Horn's Creek and am prepared to pasture stock for the summer at very reasonable rates. Anyone having stock to carry through summer should see or write me.

L. Y. Bryan,
Edgefield, S. C.

THE LAST CALL!

VANN & LEPPARD'S
Forced Sale will positively end
Saturday, April 29th.

A clear sweep will take place
this week. Do not hesitate. Take
advantage of this your last opportunity.
A few extra special
prices for the closing week:

Yard wide Lonsdale Cambrie yd 9c
Head rice, per pound 4c
Sweep Stakes tobacco, 2 plugs 25c

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